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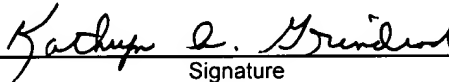
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Application Number 09/839,947-Conf. #7400		Filed April 20, 2001	
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Art Unit 2626		Examiner Wallerson, Mark E.	

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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) David A. Tucker  
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